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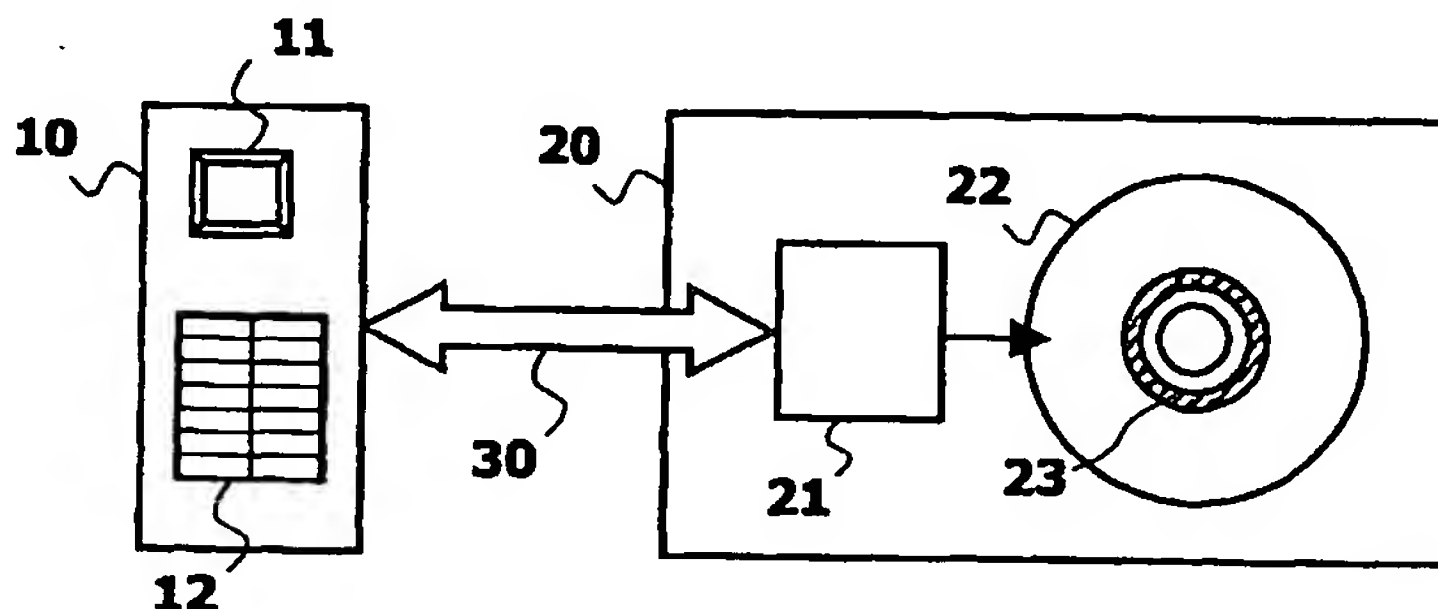
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(57) Abstract: The present invention relates to a communication system comprising a recording and/or reproducing device (20) able to read a data carrier (22) and a remote unit (10) comprising additional data (11) for the data carrier (22). The recording and/or reproducing device (20) and the remote unit (10) communicate via a network (30). The remote unit (10) is able to retrieve data carrier properties (23) from the data carrier (22) inserted in the recording and/or reproducing

device (20), and to authenticate said data carrier (22) by comparing said properties (23) with the ones of a corresponding data carrier legally produced by a provider, before sending the additional data (11) to said recording and/or reproducing device (20).

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